

PUBLIC LEDGER



WEEKLY REPUBLICAN—1867.
DAILY PUBLIC LEDGER—1895.

MAYSVILLE, KY., FRIDAY, JANUARY 29, 1904.

ONE COPY—ONE CENT.



A RAGTIME PHILOSOPHER.
I don't pay taxes an' I don't pay no rent.
It happens sometimes dat I ain't got a cent;
But I sings jus' de same an' I don't raise a row,
'Cause I know till I'se dead I'll keep livin' some-
how.

Sometimes I has shoes as I goes down de street,
And sometimes I's walking right down on my feet
Dat trouble ain't gwine fo to catch me, I vow,
'Cause I know till I'se dead I'll keep livin' some-
how.

—Washington Star.

POSITIVELY

Copy for "changes" in advertisements MUST be sent in before 2 o'clock on the previous day.

If you have an item of news, please call up The Ledger, Telephone 33, and let us have it.

Miss Brenta Frederick of East Second is suffering from severe grippe.

Miss Decia Rudy of West Second has been very ill, but is now improving.

Gerbrich prices on Pianos are still \$50 lower than competitors in their last struggle for life.

Mr. William D. Cochran's condition is improved very much. He is sitting up and able to walk about his room.

The First National Bank has individual deposits of \$277,524.12, United States deposits of \$50,000, and \$28,545.85 in undivided profits.

Last week a bald eagle measuring 7 feet 3 inches from tip to tip of wings was killed in the Bluedick neighborhood. The noble bird was sent to Mr. John V. Dea, taxidermist of this city, to have it mounted.

As an inducement, we give a ticket with every \$1 worth of goods purchased. Also, tickets to those who have not paid their accounts—a ticket with every \$1 paid. Only a few days more to secure tickets on the Diamond Ring. MURPHY, the Jeweler.

The Public School building at Mt. Olivet narrowly escaped destruction by fire Wednesday morning. The fire jacket in one of the flues rusted out, letting the sparks and flames from the stove reach the attic, which ignited, and but for the prompt work of the Fire Department the building would have been destroyed.

It's not a little coincidental that the Rev. F. W. Harrop, Presiding Elder of the Maysville District, M. E. Church, and the Rev. E. G. B. Mann, who has just relinquished the office of Presiding Elder of the Maysville District, M. E. Church, South, should both be laid up with broken ankles. Rev. Harrop meet with his accident at Latonia and Rev. Mann at Lexington.

FOR BREACH OF PROMISE

Miss Cornelia J. Browning Has Sued Washington Irvine

Miss Cornelia J. Browning has entered suit against Washington Irvine for breach of promise and wants to recover from him through the Courts the sum of \$5,000 for a lacerated heart as a healing balm.

She pleads that after wooing and gaining her consent to marriage he has broken the engagement three times, the date for the consummation of the happy event having been set that many times.

Both are prominent young people of the Washington neighborhood.

Mr. C. Hutchins is the young lady's attorney.

COURT'S OPINION

Suit of Gardner vs. Winter & Co., From This County, Affirmed

In affirming the suit of Gardner vs. Winter & Co., taken up from the Mason Circuit Court, Judge Burnam delivered the opinion in the Court of Appeals as follows—

Warranty.—Appellant alleging that he bought eighteen bushels of what was represented to him by appellees as Western German millet seed, which they warranted to him as such seed, when it was not and was so known by them, that the seed they sold him were worthless, and he seeks to recover \$600 damages in consequence of the alleged fraud and deceit. The only issue between the parties being to which variety of millet the seed belonged, and it appearing clear that appellant relied on his own judgment and past experience, there was no implied warranty that the seed would germinate and produce crops.

Second.—Where a known, described and defined article is ordered of a manufacturer, although it is stated to be required by the purchaser for a particular purpose, still if the known, defined and described thing be actually supplied, there is no warranty that it shall answer the particular purpose intended by the buyer."

A. D. Cole was the Attorney for appellant; Clarence L. Sallee and C. D. Newell for appellee.

EGG-O-SEE!

New Breakfast Food, 10 cents per package.

Kale, Lettuce, Golden-Heart Celery, Dressed Poultry and Fancy Large Apples.

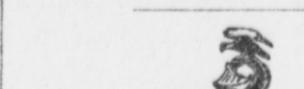
White Clover Creamery and St. Nicholas Coffee.

Send us your orders.

TELEPHONE No. 43. G. W. GEISEL, OPPOSITE OPERA-HOUSE.

Special Request.

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KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Stated convention of Limestone Lodge No. 36, K. of P., this evening at 7:30.

John L. Chamberlain, K. of R. and S.

W. C. WATKINS, C. C.

Miss Pearl Planck

Mayville.

Miss Lucy Wilson

Miss Nellie Haffey

Attorney John W. Woods of Ashland is a candidate for Delegate from this District to the National Democratic Convention to be held in St. Louis on July 6th.

WHO'S AHEAD!

How Kentucky Girls Are Running For World's Fair Trip

The Commercial Tribune will send one young lady to the World's Fair at St. Louis from each of the counties of Lewis, Fleming and Mason, to be chosen by popular vote.

Below will be found the names of the nominees, with their vote to date—

Vanceburg.

Miss Jessie Jeffers

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Considering the Time of the Year We've Sold of Our \$15, \$16.50, \$18 SUITS That We Are Now Selling at \$12.75

A fair quantity. But considering the value we give in these Suits at \$12.75, we are surprised that there are any of them left at all. Never before in Maysville's Clothing History, in which we always have been largely identified, have such Suits sold at that price. We want our friends to take advantage of this sale. A glance at our windows will give you an idea what these Suits are; but a closer examination of them in the store will soon convince you that we give you good advice when we tell you to secure one of these Suits before they are gone.

The Home Store.

D. HECHINGER & CO.



HAROVER.

A new boy baby arrived yesterday morning at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. R. Harover at Big Bone, Ky., and consequently Colonel Bob Picklin is smiling another big smile.



CARRIGAN—HAULEY.

Mr. Elmer Carrigan and Miss Jennie Hauley, both residents of this city, were married last night at the residence of Mr. R. M. Wallingford of the Sixth Ward, Rev. J. B. Simon officiating.

Both are worthy young people.



J. CROWELL.

Mr. J. W. Crowell, a few years since Proprietor of the St. Charles Hotel in this city, died recently at his home in Wilson, N. C.

Mr. Crowell was regarded as one of the most prominent and influential citizens of his section. He was a Confederate soldier, and for twelve years was Sheriff of Wilson county.

It was at the close of that service that he left North Carolina and engaged in the hotel business at points in West Virginia and Kentucky. He is survived by his wife and one daughter.

AN AMUSING INCIDENT

A Sixth Ward Woman Successfully Plays Policeman

An amusing incident occurred the other evening about dusk. Ever since the C. and O. has been a coal carrying road it has been the custom—a kind of squatter's rights affair—of certain denizens residing along the line of road to supply themselves with coal filched from the cars as they passed through certain portions of the city.

On the above occasion a couple of healthy men boarded one of the coal cars above Carmel street and when it arrived near their own domiciles threw off sufficient coal to last them several weeks. A certain woman, rather on the masculine order, and ever alert to her own interests, became aware of the purpose of the coal thieves, arrayed herself in garments to successfully carry out the program she had mapped out. Having donned a long-tailed coat, and a hat after the pattern worn by our cops, a club about the size of a mace, she presented a very good counterfeit appearance of a policeman.

After stationing herself where she commanded a view of the surroundings she awaited coming events. The men hopped off the cars and with their sacks started to gather the spoils of the night.

Now here is where fine play and cunningness of the Amazon comes in. Stepping out of the shadow into the moonlight, she gave her club the proper swing and in a loud masculine voice commanded them to halt. As she had anticipated, instead of halting it put them to flight, and to accelerate and speed them on she again commanded them to halt or she would shoot.

Never did men cover ground faster than did these two; in fact it is not definitely known whether they have stopped running yet. After thus clearing the way she began gathering up and carrying home the usufruct of her wit and courage and now has enough coal to last quite a spell.

These East End women have a reputation of being able to take care of themselves, and if this heroine of the coal episode is a fair sample we verily believe they can.

Try a loaf of Traxel's Quaker Bread.

There were 15 conversions last night at the Second M. E. Church, making 54 in all since the meeting began. Sunday night will be Miss Mahan's last here.

Special Judge W. H. Wadsworth overruled the motion for a new trial in the Ham-Fischer damage suit of Fleming county. At the last term of the Fleming Circuit Court, Ham was given a judgment for \$2,000 for being shot by Fischer.

A colored girl of this city named Mary Jackson went to Minerva Wednesday for accommodation. On arriving there she was refused admission to the house where she had expected to stay. Homeless and friendless, she wandered about the streets. Yesterday she was awaiting the return of the bus to this city, and while standing on the street gave birth to a child. She is now being cared for by some colored family.

Mr. J. W. Chambers of the Maysville system was elected a Director, Secretary, Treasurer and General Manager of the Old Kentucky Telephone and Telegraph Company at a meeting of the stockholders at Winchester.

Use Ray's Edelweiss Cream for chapped hands and rough skin.

Mrs. L. V. Davis will for the next few days offer her winter stock at greatly reduced prices to make room for early spring Millinery.

Cartmell extracts teeth without pain.

What's In a Name? Everything is in the name when it comes to Witch Hazel Salve. E. C. DeWitt & Co., of Chicago discovered some years ago how to make a salve from Witch Hazel that is a specific for Piles. For blind, bleeding, itching and protruding Piles, eczema, cuts, burns, bruises and all skin diseases DeWitt's Salve has no equal. This has given rise to numerous worthless counterfeits. Ask for DeWitt's—the genuine. Sold by J. Jas. Wood & Son, Druggists.

Icecream Soda at Traxel's.

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SUITS YOU WANT

They are not only handsome suits for winter wear, but exactly the gowns for early spring, when the fall frock that has seen so many months of service looks shabby and passe. Selling at less than half price. Think of it! \$25 Coat Suits \$10. \$15 Coat Suits \$7.50. These are profitable days for paying a visit to the Suit Department.

Fancy Velvets at Half Price.

Their charm lies in the rich soft texture of the background sparkling with small metal printed figures. Black, navy. 50c instead of \$1 yard.

Flannelette Nightgowns.

Women who know their warmth and comfort have forever foreseen muslin gowns for cold weather. These prices 50c, 75c, \$1 instead of 75c, \$1 and \$1.50.

D. HUNT & SON.

Blankets Reduced!

Need a blanket? Here's your chance to buy and save. You can defuse these blizzard nights if snugly wrapped in one of these soft, fleecy covers. With the mercury prancing near zero such blanket values should be doubly interesting.

\$1.50 Blankets \$1.00.

\$3.50 Blankets \$2.50.

\$7.00 Blankets \$5.00.

HIP FORMS.

The present style of dress demands a rounded contour in the back. Most women are deficient in this respect. The Scott Hip Form and Bustle corrects this. It is light in weight, invisible, form fitting, reversible and ventilated. Made in several sizes to fit slight, medium and stout figures. 25c, 50c.

DAILY—EXCEPT SUNDAY, FOURTH OF JULY, THANKSGIVING, AND CHRISTMAS.

Thomas A. Day

OFFICE—PUBLIC LEDGER BUILDING, MAYSVILLE, KY.

SUBSCRIPTIONS—BY MAIL.
One Year..... \$3.00
Six Months..... 1.50
Three Months..... 1.25
Per Month..... 25 Cents
DELIVERED BY CARRIER.
Payable to Collector at end of Month.

"It is the law of American politics that no man can make himself a candidate for President, and no man can prevent himself from being a candidate for President."—From a statement made by the late James G. Blaine.

A LITTLE thing like the Constitution mustn't stand in the way when a new "pauper county" and more offices are wanted.

THE Democrats having regained full sway at Frankfort, the Legislature proposes to restore the rights of the Attorney General, which were taken away from that official during the term of the Hon. CLIFTON J. PRATT, Republican. This was a striking example of peanut politics.

THE President is now given one more opportunity to turn down a Civil War Veteran at the instance of Democratic advisers. The Kentucky Pension Agency is being sought by two or three Veteran Soldiers—and some dozen or less Veteran Politicians. Heretofore, despite Mr. ROOSEVELT's publicly expressed loyalty to Civil War Veterans, they have not been "in it" with chaps born after the fighting was all over and who were backed by Democrats who would vote the Republican ticket only when the Devil takes to bathing in Holy Water.

THOSE of our Confederate friends who lost their admiration for the late General LONGSTREET because he identified himself with the Republican party after the War, would show more consistency if they would denounce those Federal Generals who became Democrats after the War. No Confederate soldier who is worthy of the name will smirch the memory of the gallant LONGSTREET on account of his political convictions, nor will any honorable Federal soldier censure such men as SICKLES and PALMER and BLACK, simply because they are Democrats.

SOCIAL EVENTS

From a twenty-year-old mulberry tree 218 pounds of leaves have been picked in a year.

St. Louis liverymen have gone on strike. The Citizens' Industrial Association declares no interference with funerals will be tolerated, even if troops have to be called out.

BOARD OF TRADE

Addressed Itself to the Wide-Awake Merchants of Maysville

There was a swell Leap Year Hop given by the Twentieth Century Girls at Washington Hall last night. The young ladies were all fair from beginning to end. They hired the hacks, called for the gentlemen and escorted them to the hall, footed the bill and directed the dance from start to finish. They were all costumed alike—white waist, dark skirt and bright ribbons. The Maysville Orchestra discoursed sweet music to which the beautiful maidens and gallant young men tripped the light fantastic toe from 9 to 2. It was one of the most delightful affairs of the social season and to the girls belong the palm as entertainers.

IT'S FOOLISH

Ignore Such Convincing Proof as This Maysville Citizen Gives You Here.

may differ from your neighbors in many ant question of the day. Your opinions may coincide with those of the minority or those of the majority, and still you may be in doubt. But you can hardly be skeptical about the merit of Doan's Kidney Pills when you read such emphatic local endorsement as the following:

Mrs. J. B. Gibson of 113 West Fourth street says:

"The value of Doan's Kidney Pills is quickly manifest by their use. I obtained them at J. Jaa. Wood & Son's Drugstore, corner of West Second and Market streets, and although my experience was not extensive it was because their curative powers were so quickly demonstrated that extended use was unnecessary. The quick relief from backache which was obtained from the use of Doan's Kidney Pills causes me to recommend this valuable medicine whenever opportunity offers."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

THE Louisville Post thinks Mr. ROOSEVELT is stronger in Kentucky than the Republican party. He might be all that—and not very strong then. But it's a new claim that any man is stronger than his party.

THE New York Bank Statement for the current week breaks all previous records, particularly in loans and deposits. Loans for the week show an increase over all previous figures by about \$200,000, and the previous grand total is increased by about \$15,000,000, bringing that item to within \$35,000,000 of the \$1,000,000 mark. The week's increase in deposits is \$8,500,000 over all previous figures, and total deposits are now greater than loans by over \$21,000,000. With these figures before him, even Mr. WILLIE BRYAN will probably confess that his "apparent prosperity" has become somewhat apparent.

THE Cynthiana Democrat calls attention to the lamentable fact that nearly all the valuable industries of Harrison county—valuable to employees who drew good salaries and valuable to merchants who sold goods to these employees—have been driven out of business by the pig-headed policy of over-taxation by city, county and state; and the Democrat adds—

"These facts and figures are cited as an instance of how the only industries a town and county possesses may be destroyed unless they are extended inducements to remain and are carefully handled."

"From a business standpoint property should be equitably taxed regardless of ownership; and where it can be shown that industries are worth more to a county than the dollars and cents that can be extracted in taxes, this should be taken into account. Capital should never be driven from our doors."

Unfortunately, however, the average "Board of Equalization" can see things only one way, and that is to pile up taxes against every "corporation," regardless of its value to the community as an employer of labor and as a customer of the merchant and the farmer.

Political Pickings

THEY MIGHT LET HIM DROP.

Louisville Courier-Journal.

Senator Platt sounds warning of "the return of the Democratic party to a same and dangerous condition." But the warning is in vain. The Republicans have got hold of Roosevelt and can't turn him loose.

TRYING TO FOOL THE PUBLIC.

Louisville Times.

The decision of the Senate not to make public the testimony in the Wood case is not likely to remove from the public nostrils the suspicion that there is still a whiff of rotteness in Denmark.

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WASHINGTON OPERA-HOUSE

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CLARENCE MATHEWS, Postmaster.

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WASHINGTON OPERA-HOUSE



One Night of Fun. **4**
Thursday, February

**IT'S A Bunch
of Keys.**
POLISHED, UP-TO-DATE.

The press says that it is good, and it must be for this is the twelfth successful year.

PRICES
Entire Lower Floor 50c Entire Balcony 35c Entire Gallery 25c

Gentlemen,

Put yourself in our shoes and you will appreciate what foot comfort really is. Take, for instance, a pair of

Ralston Health Shoes

shaped LIKE your foot that sell for \$4. You get them here only in this town. We guessed they would be sellers and guessed right.

W. R. Smith and Co.

Latest Markets

CINCINNATI, Jan. 28, 1904.

CATTLE.

Good to choice shippers.....	\$4.25@4.85
Extra.....	4.90@5.10
Butcher steers, good to choice.....	4.10@4.60
Extra.....	4.6@4.75
Common to fair.....	3.00@4.00
Heifers, good to choice.....	3.75@4.40
Extra.....	4.1@4.50
Common to fair.....	2.5@3.50
Cows, good to choice.....	3.0@3.65
Extra.....	3.75@4.00
Common to fair.....	1.75@2.90
Scalawags.....	1.75@2.40
Bulls, bolegnas.....	3.00@3.65
Extra.....	3.50@4.00

CALVES.

Extra.....	\$6.75@7.75
Fair to good.....	7.00@7.50
Common and large.....	4.00@6.75

HOUS.

Selected, medium and heavy.....	\$5.20@5.22
Good to choice packers.....	5.1@5.30
Mixed packers.....	4.90@5.10
Stags.....	2.75@3.75
Common to choice heavy sows.....	3.75@4.00
Light shippers.....	4.0@4.85
Pigs—110 lbs and less.....	4.25@4.65

EGGS.

Fresh near-by stock, round lots.....	30 @...
Held stock, loss off.....	24 @...
Goose.....	50 @...
Duck.....	20 @...

BUTTER.

Fancy Elgin creamery, 1/2 lb.....	24 @...
Ohio fancy.....	22 @23
Seconds.....	19@20
Dairy.....	11 @...

POULTRY.

Springers.....	13 @...
Fryers.....	4 @5
Hens.....	11 @...
Roosters.....	6 @...
Ducks, old.....	12 @13
Spring turkeys.....	12 @15
Culls.....	5 @8
Geese, per dozen.....	\$4.00@6.00

FLOUR.

Winter patent.....	\$4.40@4.65
Winter fancy.....	4.00@4.25
Winter family.....	3.50@3.75
Extra.....	2.90@3.10
Low grade.....	2.50@2.75
Spring patent.....	4.75@5.00
Spring fancy.....	3.95@4.20
Spring family.....	3.75@3.90
Rye, Northwestern.....	3.85@3.50
Rye, city.....	3.85@3.50

WHEAT.

No. 2 red winter.....	97@108
No. 3 red winter.....	94@95
No. 4 red winter.....	92 @93
Rejected.....	85 @92
Old No. 2 red.....	78@83

CORN.

No. 2 white.....	40 @41</
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BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

WILL START ANEW

The Brave Little Chinaman Will Soon
Reopen His Laundry

Le Kwong, not utterly disheartened by the
wanton destruction of his business by an incendiary,
has rented the Sutton street house of Mr.
David Hachinger, and it is now being fitted up
for his occupancy.

He will in a short time reopen his laundry;
and the way to help the little fellow out is for
our people to patronize him when he gets started.

He is not asking charity; he is willing to work,
and he is sure to pay for what he gets.

LOOKING BACKWARD

A Recent Ledger Article Brings Back
Some Old Memories

The LEDGER's article on the Ellsworth-Jackson
killing was read with considerable interest
by one who was at Alexandria a few weeks after
the tragedy and visited the Marshall House
where it was enacted.

Colonel Ellsworth was from Mechanicsville, N. Y., and commanded what is known as a Zouave Regiment from the peculiar style in which the men were uniformed.

At the time of which we write nearly all the
woodwork of the stairway had been carried off
by relic hunters, most every one visiting Washington
those stormy, exciting times going down
to the Virginia city to see the old hotel on King
street where the first bloodshed of the War had taken place.

Passing down the Potomac river some thirty
years afterward and reverting to the incident,
it was asked of a gentleman near by whether
he knew what had become of Frank Brownell,
who had bayoneted Jackson after he had shot
Colonel Ellsworth, and the reply was that he
had seen him that day at the Pension Department
at Washington, and knew him well, as he
was a clerk there himself and had seen him
every day for years.

Brownell died only a year or so since at
Washington City.

A Vest-Pocket Doctor.

Never in the way, no trouble to carry, easy to
take, pleasant and never failing in results are De
Witt's Little Early Risers. A vial of these little
pills in the vest-pocket is a certain guarantee
against headache, biliousness, torpid liver and all
the ills resulting from constipation. They
tonic and strengthen the liver. Sold by J. Jas.
Wood & Son, Druggists.

NO PERSON

Would Make Such a Proposition to the
People of Maysville, as Has Our
Leading Druggist, J. C.
Pecor.

Did you ever know or hear of a person who
would offer to return every cent you paid him if
he could not build up and create strength and
vitality for old people, weak, sickly women and
children and the convalescent; create an appetite,
cure stomach troubles; make those who are
too thin fat, rosy and healthy. Or cure
hacking coughs, chronic colds, throat and bronchial
troubles?

This is exactly the offer our well-known and
reliable druggist, J. C. Pecor, makes to every
person in Maysville.

Mr. Pecor's says Vinol is simply the most valuable
and delicious preparation of cod liver oil
known to medicine. It is the greatest known
strength creator and health restorer. It makes
the blood rich and pure. It tones up the tired,
weakened digestive organs. It strengthens
every organ in the body to do its work as nature
intended, and wherever it fails he will give back
the money paid him for it.

Thousands of unsolicited testimonial letters,
which is the best proof of merit any medicine
can have, prove its value. We advise every
sick and ailing person in Maysville to try Vinol
on Mr. Pecor's guarantee to return money if it
fails. Remember, you get it at the store of J. C. Pecor, Druggist.

Mr. Elbert Pangburn will give up his place
with the Adams in this city to return to the
farm. Mr. Joseph Harney will take the place.

The will of the late Charles W. Hubbard of
New York, read on the 18th inst., cuts out all
the Mason county heirs. They were represented
at the reading by Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Davidson
of Philadelphia.

River News

The Harvester is on her way up with a fleet
of empties.

The river at this point has fallen just two
feet since yesterday, the gauge reading 40.5.

The Monongahela Coal Company lost a boat
containing 25,000 bushels of coal at Louisville.

The first of the big coal fleet began passing
this city this morning at 9 o'clock. This is the
first coal that has passed down in many months.

Several accidents are reported up the river.
The Clyde and Stella Moran collided above Lock
No. 4 and one of the Clyde's boats was sunk.
Return, belonging to the Iron City Sand Company,
and the Catharine came together at Lock
No. 1, one of the sides of the Catherine being
damaged.

The Fred Wilson with 5 coalboats and 7
barges, the Ranger with 5 barges, the Rover
with 8 barges, the Voyager with 5 boats, the
Robert T. Jenkins with 5 boats, the T. J. Wood
with 5 boats, the Charley Clark with 5 boats
and the Pacific No. 2 with 3 barges have left
Pittsburgh and are on their way down. The
River struck the Monongahela City Bridge and
sank 3 coalboats.

Another Ohio river transportation company
has been organized and with the opening up of
the river two additional packets will be put on
between Cincinnati and Pittsburgh. The name
of the new company will be "The Pittsburgh,
Parkersburg and Cincinnati Packet Company,"
and it will operate two steamers, the Avalon
between Pittsburgh and Parkersburg, and the
Ben Hur between Parkersburg and Cincinnati.
The Ben Hur will make one round trip and a
half each week, leaving Parkersburg early in
the week and after arriving in Cincinnati going
back as far as Huntington and then returning
to Cincinnati from there. The return trip
from Cincinnati to Parkersburg will be made
in time to make connection with the Avalon,
which will make two round trips from Parkers-
burg to Pittsburgh each week.

Damage to river interests at headwaters by
the recent breakup were: Sixteen coalboats
swept away from Fawcett's Landing, South Side;
six coalboats swept from O'Neill's Landing, South
Side; three coalboats sunk at Pacific Landing,
Point Bridge; two coalboats sunk at Jute's
Landing, South Side; two coalboats sunk at Snyder's
Landing, Esplen Borough; three model
barge loaded with steel products, swept away, one
sunken; one barge sunk at Budd's Landing, below
Wabash Bridge; one coalboat sunk at Clyde's
Landing, below Wabash Bridge; one coalboat
and two barges sunk at Albany Mines, Monon-
gahela river; houseboat sunk at Fawcett's Landing;
ten flats carried away from Brilliant Pumping
Station, towboat Hornet No. 2 sunk at
Paden's Island, Towboat Volunteer sunk at
Brown's Station, new towboat Winifreda sunk at
Marietta, two coal tipples at Brownsville,
Beaumont and Umpire carried away; model
barge Chester sunk at McKees Rocks, loaded
with cotton ties; pleasure barge Andie Roberts
sunk at Monongahela wharf. The damage done
to river property will reach \$200,000. Coal in
some of the sunken craft may be recovered,
but three fourths of the property will probably
prove a total loss.

Mrs. Pinkham, whose address is Lynn,
Mass., will answer cheerfully and without
cost all letters addressed to her by sick women.
Perhaps she has just the knowledge that will help your case—try her to-day—it
costs nothing.

Biliousness

"I have used your valuable Cascarets and find
them perfect. Considered one of the best
cures for biliousness and am now completely cured. Recom-
mend them to everyone. Once tried, you will
never be without them in the family."

Edward A. Marx, Albany, N. Y.



Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Tasty Good. Do Good,
Never Sicken, Weaken or Grippe. 10c. 25c. 50c. Never
sold in bulk. The genuine tablet stamped C.C.C.
Guaranteed to cure or your money back.

Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or N.Y. 602

ANNUAL SALE, TEN MILLION BOXES

Circuit Court convenes Monday.

The annual meeting of the Kentucky Educational
Association is to be held in this city June 21st, 22d and 23d.

Colonel C. L. Tainman was down from Vance-
burg yesterday looking over the valuable stable
of equines he has quartered at the Fairgrounds.
The Colonel has some high steppers in his
string.

Cured After Suffering 10 Years.

B. F. Hare, Supt. Miami Cycle & Mfg. Co. Mid-
town, O., suffered for ten years with dyspepsia.
He spent hundreds of dollars for medicine and
with doctors without receiving any permanent
benefit. He says "One night while feeling ex-
ceptionally bad I was about to throw down the
evening paper when I saw an item in the paper
regarding the merits of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. I
concluded to try it and while I had no faith in it
I felt better after the second dose. After using
two bottles I am stronger and better than I have
been in years, and I recommend Kodol Dyspepsia
Cure to my friends and acquaintances suffering
from stomach trouble." Sold by J. Jas. Wood &
Son, Druggists.

JOHN W. PORTER.

J. H. CUMMING

PORTER & CUMMING
FUNERAL DIRECTORS.

17 E. Second street. MAYSVILLE, KY.

MONUMENTS!

For a good one of
any kind you want
to see us before
placing your or-
der. It is acknowledged by everyone who trades with us that we
save them money.

THE GARNET MARBLE CO.,
No. 111 Sutton Street,
MAYSVILLE, KY.

Have You Seen the Display of

American Beauty Corsets?

....AT....

HOEFLICH'S?

AMERICAN BEAUTY Style 879
Kalamazoo Corset Co. Sole Makers

For the correct fit for your spring dress you should try one of these Corsets and you will be pleased with them, the fit of your dress and with yourself. Come in and let us show you how easy it is to have all of these. The American Beauty Corsets are the best shapes, best fitting and the most durable corsets made for the price, \$1. We have some finer. Come in and see them and also to attend the big Discount Sale of Winter Goods.

ROBT. L. HOEFLICH,

Sole Agent for American Beauty Corsets, 211-213 Market Street.



THE FOLLOWING

FARMS!

CAN BE BOUGHT AT

Reasonable Prices!

Farm of 67 acres on the Brandywine pike,
5 1/2 P. Degman Farm of Fergus Falls, Minn.
fall and dislocated her shoulder. She had a sur-
geon get it back in place as soon as possible, but
it was quite sore and pained her very much. Her
son mentioned that he had seen Chamberlain's
Pain Balm advertised for sprains and soreness,
and she asked him to buy her a bottle of it, which
he did. It quickly relieved her and enabled her to
sleep which she had not done for several days.
The son was so much pleased with the relief it
gave his mother that he has since recommended it
to many others. For sale by J. Jas. Wood & Son.

Potatoes—(One peck, any variety) First premium \$2, second premium \$1, third premium 50¢.

White Corn—(Twenty-five ears make a sample) First premium \$3, second premium \$2, third premium \$1.

Yellow Corn—(Twenty-five ears make a sample) First premium \$3, second premium \$2, third premium \$1.

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**DO YOU GET UP
WITH A LAME BACK?**

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspaper is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, uric acid, catarrh of the bladder and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need.

It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work and in private practice, and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper, who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root, and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble.

When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles are sold by all good druggists. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

PUBLIC LEDGER
MAYSVILLE, KY.

Maysville Weather.

What May Be Expected to be During the Next Thirty-six Hours.

THE LEDGER'S ODE
White streamer—FIRE;
Blue—ice or snow;
Black above—WELL WARMER KNOW;
Black beneath—COLDER TWILL BE;
If Black's not shown no change we'll see.
The above forecasts are made for a person of
nearly six hours, ending at 8 o'clock tomorrow eve
ning.

Correspondence

COTTAGEVILL.

Mr. Samuel Nash will have a public sale Feb. 2d.

Rev. T. F. Walton will preach at Ebenezer next Sunday.

Otis Norman has gone to South Portsmouth, where he has employment.

William Prichard, aged 53, and Mrs. Robb, aged 47, were married a few days ago.

Mr. T. J. Tully has purchased the Campbell farm, and his son, Jack Tully, will move to it from Cincinnati.

The farm which W. J. Hitt recently purchased of Thacker and Tully has been transferred to Mrs. Sallie Osborn.

Mr. Joe Phillips of Mason county has purchased the James Ally farm East of here and will move to it in the spring.

Mr. W. J. Hitt died Sunday and the remains were taken to Shannon Tuesday for burial. He was 36 years of age the day that he died, and was a highly respected farmer. He leaves a widow and two daughters—Florence and Etta.

The regular services will be held Sunday at the Church of the Nativity.

Men's rally at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday will be conducted by Prof. Mitchell.

The Hon. John E. Winn, former Police Judge of Greenup, is dead, aged 84.

Colonel Abe R. Peirce fell a few days ago at his home in Limestone street and badly sprained his right hand.

Mr. George W. Orr celebrated his 69th birthday yesterday. He looks every day fifteen years younger. May he see many more birthdays and live to be a century plant.

County Clerk C. L. Wood, Mr. George Wood and Mr. Hal C. Curran left this morning for Dover to attend the funeral of Mrs. Matilda Fox, one of Mason's venerable and aged citizens.

R. T. Louderback, a farmer who has been cropping on the farm of T. A. Cook near Mt. Carmel, made an assignment some days since to G. W. Davis. His assets are put at \$800, and liabilities at \$1,500, of which \$540 is due his landlord and is a preferred claim. Almost all the others are said to be Maysville people.

Personal

Mr. A. M. Dunbury is in West Virginia on business.

Dr. T. B. Vice has returned to Sherburne, after a visit here.

Mr. L. H. Young is on a visit to his mother at Flemingsburg.

Miss Ida Clinger has returned to Dover, after a visit to relatives here.

Mrs. J. T. Kickley will leave for a visit to friends at Chicago today.

R. D. H. Hughes of Sutton, Fleming county, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Louie January has been on a visit to the family of Mr. Watson Andrews at Flemingsburg for several days.

Mrs. Wall and daughter returned yesterday to their home at Flemingsburg after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Means.

Miss Nellie Ferrine, who has been the guest of relatives and friends at Donerail, has returned to her home in the county.

Miss Ida May Tyler of Germantown and Miss Bradford of Falmouth are the expected guests of Miss Ida Walton of Covington.

Dr. Henry W. Ray, Great Chief of Records of Kentucky Redmen, returned last evening from Lagrange, where he had been on official business.

WON HIS FIGHT

Appointments of Democratic Rural Mail Carriers Will Stand

Representative Kehoe in Washington Wednesday won his fight in upholding the appointments of the six Democratic carriers in the rural mail delivery service which were recently made in this county.

Some two months ago, upon the establishment of the additional routes in Mason, an examination for carriers was held, and the six applicants who had attained the highest averages were appointed. It developed later that the six successful candidates were all Democrats, and the Republicans of the county protested to the Post-office Department, and stated that there was collusion between the Examiner and the Democrats.

The Department immediately revoked the commission of the carriers, after they had gone to the expense of purchasing wagons and horses.

Mr. Kehoe complained to the Department about the matter, the case was investigated by the Civil Service Commission, and the charges were declared to be groundless.

Regardless of this, the Department continued to hold up the commissions. Mr. Kehoe insisted that the commissions be issued to the Democrats, who were entitled to the places, and after several weeks delay his contention was Wednesday sustained by the Department.

The six Democrats will be appointed and the county service, consisting of six routes, will be installed within a short time.

ONLY 2 DAYS MORE!

**THE SMITH & NIXON PIANO CO.'S
SLAUGHTER SALE POSITIVELY**

**CLOSES SATURDAY, JAN-
UARY 30th, 1904.**

Saturday night at 9 o'clock any Pianos remaining will be transferred to our regular stock and the price marked up so as to show the regular per cent. of profit upon all of our merchandise.

YOU UNDERSTAND THE CASE
Just as well as we do.

IF YOU WANT \$100

Come to us by Saturday night at 9 o'clock.

**IT IS UP TO YOU—DO YOUR OWN
THINKING.**

It is a serious matter and demands a prompt answer.

WILL YOU? OR WILL YOU NOT?

JOHN I. WINTER & CO.,
Maysville, Ky.

Still selling Pianos.

Stomach Troubles cured by KODOL DYSPEPSIA CURE

Under all curable conditions

Mr. D. Kauble of Mrs. W. W. Lay-
Nevada, O., was
cured by Kodol
of stomach
trouble which
had effected
his heart.



KODOL
Digests What You Eat

For sale at J. JAS. WOOD & SON'S Drugstore.

Saturday Sales

Hoeflich's

I cannot help talking about the Muslin Sale. You cannot afford to miss it. Ladies' Clothing—Men's Hosiery 10¢ pair; each and every pair is worth from 15¢ to 25¢ a pair. A drummer's samples. Golf Gloves for children and ladies 15¢, regular 25¢ kind.

Have you seen the Handkerchief Aprons? Come and will show you how to make them and show you the prettiest Handkerchiefs for making them.

Many bargains to be had in the Remnant Box.

Robert L. Hoeflich,
211, 213 Market Street.

Protect Your Lungs

The lungs are a part of one's body that should be protected above all others, as they are the most sensitive. It matters little how much or how little outer clothing we wears, if their lungs are well protected they run little risk of contracting a cold. To protect yourself from the cold wear one of our

Chamois Lung Protectors

Our Lung Protectors are made of one piece of finest chamois and one piece of best felt. Other and cheaper makes are made of cheap chamois and red flannel and wear about half the winter. Ours are guaranteed to wear longer than any other make of the same price.

John C. Pecor
PHARMACIST.

Why Waste Your Time

And patience fooling with the old-fashioned churn when at a very small expense you can use the celebrated patent

Oval Churn

The best, simplest and cheapest patent churn on the market? Try one and be convinced, for once tried it is always used.

Tin Roofing, Guttering and Spouting a specialty.

H. W. Rasp,
33 West Second Street.

People's Column

No Charge!

Advertisements under the headings of "Help Wanted," "Lost" and "Found," and not exceeding three lines in length, are FREE to all.

No Business Advertisements Inserted without pay.

If answers fail to come the first time, we invite as many repetitions as are necessary to secure what you advertise for. We with advertisers to feel that they are not imposing on us by using our free columns.

No Advertisers must furnish copy, which can be left at the office or sent by mail.

THE PUBLIC LEDGER,
No. 10 East Third Street.

Help Wanted.

Advertisements under this heading inserted free; but advertisers must furnish the copy.

WANTED—MANDOLIN TEACHER—For class work; position permanent and salary weekly. A. M. RANDALL, 621 Main street, Cincinnati, O. ja29 11w

WANTED—A GOOD BOY—To learn the printing trade. Apply to F. W. BAUER, de19 1w

Situations Wanted.

Advertisements under this heading inserted free; but advertiser must furnish the copy.

WANTED—WORK—Could take either washing or plain sewing. Mrs. HARTLEY, No. 50 East Front street. ja19 1w

WANTED—WORK—Cooking and general house cleaning. MARY WHEATLEY, East Sixth street, ja12 1w

WANTED—SITUATION—A good place to work at hotel; will give reference. Address MAGGIE VAUGHN, Vanceburg, Ky. 41w

For Rent.

Advertisements under this heading, not exceeding five lines, 10 cents each insertion, or 50 cents a week.

FOR RENT—OFFICE—After February 1st, a nice office in Washington Opera-house. Apply to CHARLES H. FRANK. ja19 2w

FOR RENT OR SALE—RESIDENCE—122 East Second street, Apply to C. L. SALLEE, Court street, or Mrs. R. T. WILSON on premises. ja19 1w

For Sale.

Advertisements under this heading, not exceeding five lines, 10 cents each insertion, or 50 cents a week.

FOR SALE—ELEVATOR—Good as new; platform 5 feet square; will sell cheap. Apply to JOSEPH SCHATZMANN's China Store. ja29 1w*

FOR SALE—RESIDENCE—Want to sell my residence; in perfect repair; 108 West Front street. G. W. GHEISEL. ja15 1w

FORSALE—COMPLETE JOB PRINTING OFFICE—OUTFIT—Consists of over 100 fonts of type, cases, stands, rules, borders, Universal paper, etc. A good outfit for a first class country job office. There is enough body type to print a seven column paper. It can be bought for one-fifth its value. Here is a rare chance for some one. For further information address "O." care Ledger office.

Lost.

Advertisements under this heading inserted free; but advertiser must furnish the copy.

LOST—PIN—Between residence of C. W. Dar-
m and First Presbyterian Church; gold
set with ruby. Return to this office. ja19 1w

LOST—\$10 BILL—Between J. Jas. Wood's cor-
ner and Thomas Guiffroy's. Return to this
office and receive reward. ja12 1w

Found.

Advertisements under this heading inserted free; but advertiser must furnish the copy.

FOUND—WATCH—Call at this office. ja29 1w

FOUND—GLOVES—Pair golf gloves in Fourth
street, near High school. JAMES NEED
HAM PARRY, 13 East Fourth street. ja32 1w

FOUND—KEYS—On ring, with short chain at-
tached. Call at this office. ja22 1w

Invoicing

Next Week!

Go to the New York Store Friday and Saturday if You Want to Make Money.

16 very fine Ladies' Coats, sold at \$10, new goods, all sizes to select from, now \$4.95. Fine Black Wraps, sold at \$8, now \$3.98. Misses' Long Coats, sold at \$4, sizes 4-10 years, now \$1.75. Ladies' Trimmed Hats, \$4 and \$5 values, to close \$1.69. Children's fine Hats, worth \$1.50, to close 47c. Children's fine Wool Toques, sold at 39c, to close 19c. 14 Gray Fur Scarfs, sold at \$1.50, to close 85c. It will pay you to buy these articles and lay them aside until next winter.

HAYS & CO. NEW YORK STORE.

D. S.—Small Articles at... Small Prices

Baby Ribbon 1c a yard; all colors. Side Combs 3c. Hooks and Eyes 5 cards for one penny. Best Pearl Buttons 5c a dozen. Brass Buttons 10c a dozen. Babies' fine Wool Hose 9c. Ladies' good Corsets 24c; new, clean goods. Good Calico 4c. Fine Dress Gingham 6c, worth 10c. Ladies' very fine near Silk Petticoats, worth \$1.75, our price 69c.

RESTAURANT ROYAL!

John Wheeler's Old Stand, 204 Market Street.

Miss Annie M. Wallace.